IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
		:	Examiner: N. A. Bowers
TADASHI HAYASHI)	
		:	Group Art Unit: 1797
Application No.: 10/815,652)	
		:	Confirmation No.: 8200
Filed: April 2, 2004)	
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For:	TARGET OBJECT MODIFICATION)	February 13, 2008
	APPARATUS AND CONTROL	:	
	METHOD)	

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated November 13, 2007, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the above-identified application as follows: